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In re application of:

Peter G. Brown

Appl. No. 09/100,088

Filed: June 19, 1998

For: **Method and Computer Program
Product for Simulating Solution
Preparation in Biopharmaceutical
Batch Process Manufacturing**

Confirmation No. 8182

Art Unit: 2123

Examiner: H. Jones

Atty. Docket: 1606.0020004/RES/WRS

Petition For Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1)

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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